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23RD MAY 1884, No. 1287 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following paper :—

G.O., dated 17th May 1884, No. 2076, Revenue.

Read—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 6th May 1884, Mis. No. 3791 :—

Read—the following letter from the Collector of South Arcot, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 23rd April 1884, No. 191 :—

So far back as the 24th June 1874 the necessity for a new taluk cutcherry at Villupuram was admitted, as may be seen from the list of buildings most urgently required in all districts given in the Proceedings of the Madras Government of the above date, No. 1691, Public Works Department, but no cutcherry has yet been built. Steps are being taken to have an estimate for a new building prepared and land has been selected for it. The greater part of this land belongs to Government, but in order to have the proposed new cutcherry facing the main road it is necessary to acquire two annas of land which the owners have agreed to part with for 252 rupees, which is considered a reasonable price. Though the estimate has not been prepared, the Executive Engineer requested the Superintending Engineer to provide the money for the acquisition of the land, as it has been found from experience that land selected for public buildings changes hands frequently before the money required for the construction of the buildings has been found, and the price is run up to an exorbitant amount in the expectation that Government will pay whatever is asked, because it requires the land. The Superintending Engineer, however, replied he could not pay the bill submitted to him when there was no allotment of funds. I have therefore the honor to request that the Board will be pleased to move Government to sanction the payment of the compensation at once to prevent the possibility of the price being greatly enhanced if the land is not taken up till the work of building is to be commenced. The estimate and the site plan are herewith submitted.

Resolution—dated 6th May 1884, Mis. No. 3791.

Submitted to Government with the request that the necessary allotment of funds be sanctioned.

Order—dated 17th May 1884, No. 2076, Revenue.

The estimate for the building will be awaited.

2. There is no necessity for the immediate acquisition of the land, which can always be acquired at a fair price under the Land Acquisition Act, if necessary.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Secretary to Government.

ORDER—dated 23rd May 1884, No. 1287 W., Public Works.

Communicated to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, who will submit the required estimates as soon as practicable.

(True Extract.)

Major, R.E.,
Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, V Circle.
„ Revenue Department.

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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated May, 23rd.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 23rd May 1884, No. 1287 W.

MAY.

Taluk Cutcherry at
Villupuram

The Superintending Engineer, V Circle,
directed to submit the estimate for a new
—, South Arcot District, as soon as possible.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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the Board of Revenue Dated 6th May 1884, No. 3791, on letter from the Collector of South Arcot
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for a new building prepared and land has been
selected for it. The greater part of this land
belongs to Govt., but in order to have the proposed
new Cutcherry facing the main road it is ne-
cessary to acquire two acres of land which the
owners have agreed to part with for 250 Rs. which

is considered a reasonable price. Though the estimate has not been prepared the Executive Engineer requested the Supt. Engrs. to provide the money for the requisition of the land, as it has been found from experience that land selected for public buildings changes hands frequently before the money required for the construction of the buildings has been found and the price is run up to an exorbitant amount in the expectation that Govt. will pay whatever is asked because it requires the land. The Superintending Engineer, however, replied he could not pay the bill submitted to him when there was no allotment of funds. I have therefore the honor to request that the Board will be pleased to move Government to sanction the payment of the compensation at once to prevent the possibility of the price being greatly enhanced if the land is not taken up till the work of building is to be commenced.

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/ True & correct /

W. H. S. S.
Secy to Govt.

To
The Board of Revenue
Public Works Department

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1287 Day 23 May

Communicated to
the Suptg. Engineer
of Circle, who will
submit the required
estimate as soon
as practicable.

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PUBLIC WORKS.

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G.O. 23 May 1884, No. 1287

Talag Cutcherry
at Villupuram

The S.E. V Circle directed
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South West District,
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Sub-Inspector